



PATENT
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Koichiro Yamada et al.) Group Art Unit: 1624
Application No.: 10/699,804) Examiner: Deepak R. Rao
Filed: November 4, 2003)
For: Cyclic Compounds) Confirmation No.: 4022

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

RESPONSE

In response to the Restriction Requirement of December 9, 2005, applicants elect Group II and claims 1-2, 4-5, 8, 10-11, and 14-23 drawn to compounds of formula (I) wherein X=N- and Y is CH=N- or CR⁵=N- and corresponding composition and method claims.

In response to the requirement for a single disclosed species, applicants elect the species of Example 299. See page 125 of the specification.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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